

other...how about riding lawn mowers? How many people have riding lawn mowers tip over, another three-wheeled vehicle? But the riding lawn mower doesn't go 50 to 55 miles an hour like an ATV does. We're not talking about something trudging along like a tractor. We're talking about a vehicle that is equipped to go 50 to 55 miles per hour.

PRESIDENT: Time is up.

SENATOR HIGGINS: I'm just thinking about businesses and how it is going to impact on their cost. Thank you, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Thank you. Senator Lowell Johnson, did you wish to close on your motion?

SENATOR L. JOHNSON: Well, thank you very much, Mr. President, I'll try to be brief, as they say. I agree with most of the concerns for safety and I'm sure the other introducers are...have done likewise and we do have some feeling of satisfaction in the bill as it presently stands because there are very definite provisions provided for the usage of the all-terrain vehicle, for instance, the lights, the brakes and, above all, the operation of it by a fully licensed operator. The show that was referred to on 60 Minutes and so forth I happened to see also and I agreed with many of the concerns expressed there, but not in a single instance that I recall was the usage of a vehicle referred to in the light of the amendment that we give here today. The unsafe provisions of it were due to the operation by minors in most cases, in very competitive and unsupervised events, and those are not allowed under this bill. The usage would certainly not be done by a commercial or industrial or a farmer, for that matter, in delivering the sparkplug from North Bend to Hooper, Nebraska, I'm sure. In this day and age, with the comforts that we all very much enjoy, we would be using our air conditioned car or pickup, not go out on the dusty road with one of these vehicles. So I would like to point out that this is for the very utilitarian use and to not include the industrial and commercial elements would be very prejudicial over the agricultural usage. With that, Mr. President, I move for the adoption of the amendment.

PRESIDENT: Thank you. The question is the return of the bill to Select File. All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? You are voting on returning the bill to Select File. Record, Mr. Clerk, please.